

# The Weekly Ledger.

THURSDAY, MAY 26.

Clear Wild gets two years hard labor.

Mrs. P. H. Challen is home from a visit to Italy.

Miss Daisy Keith is visiting in Salisbury, Mo.

Mrs. Frank Frost and children are visiting relatives here.

Mrs. J. T. Skilton, of Fulton, is attending the Harlan College exercises.

Mrs. Williams, of St. Louis, is visiting Geo. A. Morris and family at Lakeview.

Miss Virginia Hughes, of Montgomery City, is the guest of Miss Leona Barker.

Mrs. A. C. Clayton, of Webster Groves, Mo., is visiting the family of John J. Steele.

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Miss Rosa M. Lee, of Cedar City, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. L. R. Rehman.

Born, Saturday, May 25, to Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Kelso, of west Mexico, a daughter.

The extra session of the Missouri Legislature adjourned at noon last Saturday.

Mr. Cochran, of St. Louis, is here to spend the summer with his friend, Geo. Maxwell.

Will Carlington, son of Prof. Carlington, spent Sunday in this city, visiting friends.

Representative Thos. A. McIntyre is home from Jefferson City. The extra session is over.

Mr. G. W. Robertson's sister, Mrs. Samuel Marks, of Foley, Mo., is visiting him and his family.

Mrs. Bettie Jordan and little daughter, Edith, of Springfield, Mo., are visiting J. N. Baskett and family.

Roy Summers has resigned his position with W. J. McElroy and returned to his home in Centralia Saturday.

J. A. Glendon, after a severe spell of illness, is able to be out and attend to business. Joe has to be a mighty sick man to get well.

Editors C. B. Ellis, of the Vandalla Mail and Express and E. N. Frost, of the Vandalla Leader, were up to-day to attend the speaking.

Now is the time to buy your millinery from Miss Ida Spencer at Laddonia. She is selling stylish goods at extremely low prices.

W. G. Burks guarantees every roof or gutter he puts up. det wit.

Miss Celia Norris, who has just returned from business college at Kansas City, has a position as stenographer and typewriter for L. P. Crigger.

In 1884 the total production of aluminum was only 10 pounds. It is now 200,000 pounds a year. The price has decreased from 50 to 75 cents a pound.

A French opium has recently brought out an entirely new kind of field or opera glass, which may be folded up and carried in the pocket.

It is now proposed in England to drive train cars by power derived from huge springs, which can be wound while the whole is in motion and otherwise.

Take your tinware to Burke the tinner at Potts & Hord's to be repaired.

Mrs. Clara M. Scherer, of Worcester, was buried at Rock Hill church Sunday. She left a husband and family and was 58 years of age at the time of her death. She died of dropsy.

Washington Tent No. 9, the Knights of the Maccabees, will celebrate their fourteenth anniversary on the 11th of June at the Opera House. Everybody invited. Doors open at 8 p. m.

The funeral services of Mrs. Cornelia, who died Saturday, took place at the German church, 7 miles north of Mexico, Monday morning at 10 o'clock. They were largely attended.

By a telegram from John R. Green, Supreme Court Clerk, to John M. Barker, it is learned that a rehearing has been denied to Elkins and Geo. Barker are trying to move the county seat from Danville to Montgomery City.

In the case of Stornberg, administrator of Brown vs. the Union Pacific Railroad Co., tried for three days at Lawrence, Kas., in the District Court, the plaintiff won judgment for \$7,500. John M. Barker was attorney for the plaintiff.

Quarterly Meeting at Olivet. The third quarterly meeting will be held at Olivet next Saturday and Sunday. Dr. E. K. Miller will be present and conduct the services. Let all give attention. J. W. OWEN, Pastor.

In the Daily and Weekly Ledger will be found the advertisement of Joe & Vic Barth, clothiers and general furnishers of this city. This firm has an immense stock of goods of all kinds and is selling at prices that can afford to buy.

Meers, J. T. Johnson, Geo. Boyd, Tom Northern, L. P. Crigger, Roy Johnson, R. P. Hopkins, Dr. Ramsey, John A. and Wood Maddox. On Friday hunting parties on Wood Maddox's farm, 5 miles south of town. A beautiful supply of snipe sent to this office will be necessary to hinder the publication of the minute details of the hunt.

Ten Fair this year is almost assured. The Fairing Committee is progressing admirably and has more than half of the necessary amount of stock subscribed. There will be a meeting of the committee Friday night at the Opera House when a report will be made. The sheep, clover and every dollar should and doubtless will be subscribed before the committee meeting Friday night.

James G. Burke, of Columbia, cousin of James and Will Wilkins, of this city, has moved here to reside permanently. Mr. Burke is a tinner by trade and a reliable workman. He has been with Matthews, of Columbia, for four years, which speaks well for him. He will have his shop in Potts & Hord's hardware store. See his advertisement in the Ledger and call and get rates before you have your tinning done. He guarantees satisfaction.

Hunters and fishers will be interested in learning that the legislature of Missouri has passed a new game law. The changes are that quail can be shot only in the months of November and December, and it positively prohibits snaring in the streams or the use of traps or baskets for catching fish, except in ponds wholly on the premises of the owner. Game wardens are to be appointed whose duty it shall be to prosecute the offenders.

## CENTRAL COMMITTEE MEETING.

A Resolution Passed Requesting the State Committee to Call a Convention.

The Democratic Central Committee met pursuant to call. Present: Berry, Bush, Bots, Brown, F. N. Frost, proxy for Bratton, Britton, Douglas, Daniel, Freeman, Green, Hannah, Jenkins, Newgent, Pierce, Sims, Steele and Webster—seventeen.

The object of the meeting was explained by Chairman Sims. Steele offered a resolution as follows:

"That we are of the opinion that a State Convention at this time is unnecessary and uncalled for and would likely result in much harm to the Democratic party, therefore, we are of the opinion that a State Convention shall not be called."

On motion this resolution was laid on the table. Yeas 15, nays 2. On motion of Frost a committee of Newgent, Bush and Frost was appointed to draft resolutions expressing the sentiments of the committee and reported the following:

"Resolved, That the Democratic County Committee of Andrain respectfully call the chairman of the State Committee to call a State Convention to express the wishes of the Democratic voters of the state on the financial question at as early date as practicable."

Adopted: Yeas 15, nays 2. Steele offered the following:

"Resolved, That we favor the maintenance of all our money, whether gold, silver or paper, on a parity, to the end that each dollar, whatever may be its composition, shall have equal purchasing power with every other dollar, and that the 'poor man's dollar' shall be worth as much as the 'rich man's dollar.'"

On motion of Webster "it is the sense of this committee that we favor the free and full coinage of silver at a ratio of 16 to 1."

Adopted: Yeas 15, nays 1. J. S. Hannah offered the following resolution:

"That this committee will not, with the light now before it, favor a primary election or convention to elect delegates to the purpose of nominating county candidates until late in the next season or shortly before the time of the election," which was, on motion, laid on the table. Adjourned.

## Pasqueth's For VEHICLES.

Memorial Day. The Confederate Home Association of Missouri which has, by its unremitting labor for the past five years, built and maintained a home for the ex-Confederates at Higginsville, Mo., at a meeting of the Confederate Home Association of Missouri held at Higginsville September 26, 1894, unanimously adopted the following resolution, to-wit:

"Resolved, That the Executive Committee of the Confederate Home Association recommend that day of May of each year, that being the date fixed by law, be observed as 'Memorial Day.'"

"W. P. BARLOW, Secretary Confederate Home."

"Attest—true copy."

The Executive Committee of the Confederate Home is composed of one gentleman and one lady from each Congressional District, in all twenty-eight members.

Sunday evening at six o'clock a quiet and pretty wedding took place at the residence of Mr. J. A. Snyder, on West Levee street, the high contracting parties being Mr. George E. Harding, of St. Louis, and Miss Mary A. Pigg, daughter of Geo. W. Pigg, of Vandalla. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. S. Shouse, pastor of the Christian church, in the presence of the immediate relatives of the bride and groom and a few friends.

Mr. Geo. E. Harding, the groom, is a sterling young business man and is connected with the wholesale house of Stephen J. Lang & Son, St. Louis, and has been since the elder Harding sold out his extensive business to this firm and retired, several years ago.

The bride is the beautiful and accomplished 17-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Pigg, of Vandalla, and is a niece of Mrs. B. B. Runkle and Mrs. Jas. A. Snyder, of this city.

The presents from Brooklyn, New York City, St. Louis, San Francisco and from home friends were very exquisite and costly.

## Advertised Letters.

List of letters remaining in the Post Office at Mexico, Mo., for the week ending June 1, 1895, which if not called for in thirty days will be sent to the Dead Letter Office at Washington. Persons calling for letters in this list will please say "advertised":

Gusta Brown, Mrs. Brody, Lottie Lonella O'Leary, Ida Field, Edna Hickman, Charles Hayes, Emily Johnson, Mabel Latt, Sallie A. Jesse, Joe Wilson, Mrs. Williams, Emily Hubbard, Chas. F. Tingay, Mrs. Sallie Walton, Hopkins & Watson, Fanny Jones, Jas. Sims, C. Stuart, Mrs. J. A. Owen and Sherman Smith.

Graduates at Hardin College. The following are the graduates of Hardin College, as passed by the Board of Directors:

A. B. Tilla Rose Dale, Mary Lizzie Johnson, Ann Belle Soddell, Beatrice Lee Thomas.

Nelle Amelia Bagnell, Amanda Ethelene Boyer, Hortense Louise Bowsher, Genevieve Ward French, Virginia Reed Harrison, Frances Mae Howe, Carrie Belle Jackson, George Riley, Miriam Evans Ross, Mercy Lott Riley.

PREDICATORS IN PIANO MUSIC. Lola Briley, Edna Chambers, Ida Child, Pearl Duncan, Helen Foote, George W. Jackson, Nellie Montgomery, Beatrice Thomas, George Wolfe, Edna Yarborough, Tometta Yarborough.

PROFICIENT IN VOCAL MUSIC. Kate Adair, Olive Ewing.

PROFICIENT IN ELOCUTION. Minnie Beck, Lola Briley, Frances Howe, Maudie Wolfe, Anna Williams.

## Meeting of Mexico Camp United Confederate Veterans.

The Mexico Camp United Confederate Veterans met at the Court House Saturday, May 25, at 3 o'clock. Present: Hon. D. H. McIntyre presiding. The following business was transacted, to-wit: A communication was received and read from Hancock Post, Grand Army of the Republic, inviting Mexico Camp United Confederate Veterans to meet with them on Decoration Day and the following resolution was presented by Hon. W. H. Kennan, and the same was adopted by the Camp. Said resolution was as follows:

"Resolved, That the Mexico Camp of ex-Confederates of Mexico, Mo., return our thanks to W. S. Hancock Post, No. 239, Department of Missouri, G. A. R., Mexico, Mo., for the very polite and cordial invitation to take part with them in the exercises of Memorial Day, May 30, 1895."

We are unable to attend, for the reason that the Camp at Mexico, Mo., is unorganized, as is only a formative state—without a charter and it cannot act authoritatively on your kind invitation. However, all will attend who may so choose as individuals."

On motion of Capt. J. C. Buckner a committee of seven was appointed to find out and get the names of all Confederate soldiers in the county and get any record that would be of interest to the Camp. The names of the committee are as follows: Capt. J. C. Buckner, Ed. Kendall, A. G. Turner, R. P. Hopkins, Jno. F. Harrison, Wade N. Clark and S. A. Caswell.

The following handed in their names and were enrolled as members of Mexico Camp United Confederate Veterans:

G. D. Phillips, Capt. Co. B, 16th Va. Infantry.

J. C. Buckner, Capt. Co. B, Woods' Battalion.

W. L. Luckie, Capt. Halleck's Co., Burbridge Regiment.

B. W. Edwards, Co. B 3rd Mo. Cavalry.

Robt. Kemp, Co. K Gates' Regiment Infantry.

Jno. F. Harrison, Co. K Gates' Regiment Infantry.

Wade N. Clark, 2d and 6th Consolidated Mo. Infantry.

J. F. Fink, Co. A Burbridge Regiment Infantry.

J. E. Moore, Co. K 17th Va. Infantry.

J. B. Bradley, Co. D Pindall's Battalion Sharpshooters.

Wm. McIntyre, Co. H Williams' Regiment, Jackson's Brigade.

J. S. Snidow, no command handed in.

Thos. Parsons, no command handed in.

J. O. Richart, no command handed in.

Those present enjoyed a good talk by Capt. Allen, and on motion of Capt. Allen the meeting adjourned until the second Saturday in June, 1895, when the Camp will meet in the County Clerk's office in the Court House, Mexico, Mo. All Confederate soldiers are requested to be present or send in your name and company and regiment you belonged to.

B. C. JOHNSON, Adjt. and Sec'y.

## BUGGIES AT PASQUETH'S.

Death of Charles O. Morris. Charles O. Morris, formerly of this city, died at his home, near Abilene, Texas, May 27 at 2 o'clock of an enlargement of the spleen after a severe attack of indigestion. He has numerous relatives in this county and State. The deceased was born in this city on April 14, 1843, and as reared on the Graham farm, just south of this city, where he lived until he was 15 years of age. He then went to Independence, Mo., where he resided for a few years, and then he resided in his brother, Geo. A. Morris, now of this city, in the dry goods business. While at Independence he married Miss Fannie Flannery, and during the war they moved to Florida, Mo., where Mr. Morris took a stock of goods for J. W. Morris, who is now deceased. While living in Florida, Sallie, now Mrs. R. E. Hisey, of this city, the first child, was born. Living there about one year the deceased again moved with his family to Independence, Mo., where they resided until they moved to this city about 1870 or '72. Here he engaged in the grocery business. Mr. Morris moved with his family to Texas about 1884, where he owned and controlled a ranch until his death. He left a wife and three children to survive him. The children are Mrs. R. E. Hisey, of this city, Joe B. Morris, in Texas, and Nellie, recently married to a prominent young lawyer of Abilene, Mr. Holt. It was the father's request that his daughter, Nellie, and Mr. Holt should be married before his death in his home. They were accordingly married about two weeks ago.

The deceased leaves seven brothers and four sisters to mourn his loss. They are Messrs. J. D. Morris, Geo. A. Morris and W. A. Morris of this city, John Morris, St. Louis; Pate Morris, Thompson Station; Tuck Morris, Arkansas; Tom Morris, Montana, and Mrs. Spaulding, of California. Mrs. R. E. Arnold of this city, Mrs. Lucy Graham of this city, and Mrs. J. D. McKee of this city. The remains will be interred at Abilene, Texas, which was the request of the deceased. Mr. Morris was an honest, moral and upright man, and he was a friend to all over the country who are made sad by the news of his death. His daughter, Mrs. R. E. Hisey, of this city, was present at the death of her father, as well as the marriage of his sister.

Cataract Cannot be Cured with Local Applications as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Cataract is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies. Hall's Cataract Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces. Hall's Cataract Cure is not a quick medicine. It is prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years, and is a regular prescription. It is composed of the best tonic known, combined with the best blood purifiers, acting directly on the blood and mucous surfaces. The combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing Cataract, and for testimonials, free of charge, send for circulars, free of charge. F. J. CHERRY & CO., Props., Toledo, O. Sold at all druggists, price 75c.

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T. S. RILEY, At Woolbridge & McArthur's drug store, north side square.

Card of Thanks. WORCESTER, May 29.—We desire in this manner to thank our many friends who were so kind in their attention to our wife and mother in her last illness. They will be remembered also by him who loves a tender and sympathetic heart.

N. SCHERRER AND CHILDREN.

## CIRCUIT COURT DOCKET.

JUNE TERM, 1895.

First Day, Monday, June 3, 1895.

1 Wm. H. White vs. Jos. B. Botkin.

2 P. F. Hord, assignee of G. L. Ferris.

3 Jos. Fennelwald, assignee of W. A. Wardlaw.

4 H. P. Warren, assignee of Z. B. Ermy.

5 R. D. Rodgers, assignee of Theo. Bussen.

6 J. E. Runtel vs. Nancy Floyd et al.

7 L. C. Reagan vs. Malinda Reagan.

8 Wm. A. Edmonston vs. J. W. Roberts et al.

9 T. W. Crawford, assignee of J. F. Schneider.

10 J. R. Browning, assignee of R. M. Edwards.

11 J. B. Arnold, assignee of H. A. Forney.

Second Day—Tuesday, June 4.

12 St. Louis Trust Co. vs. W. L. Reynolds.

13 H. C. Turner assignee of Elliott & McNama.

14 Wm. E. Brashear vs. Vandalla Banking Co.

15 State ex. H. O. Craig vs. A. P. Johnson et al.

16 Sarah Brown vs. Gustave Brown.

17 W. L. Shobe vs. Ollie Hauser et al.

Third Day—Wednesday, June 5.

18 E. D. Graham vs. W. R. Pennington.

19 E. C. Lockwood vs. A. C. Caswell.

20 Charles Cardwell vs. William Stuart.

21 First National Bank vs. George W. Adams, receiver.

22 S. P. Emmons, administrator estate of J. J. West, vs. John M. Gordon et al.

23 S. S. Johnson vs. A. J. Cline.

Fourth Day, Thursday, June 6.

24 W. A. Edmonston vs. J. B. Pickett et al.

25 R. C. Calhoun vs. R. H. Craig et al.

26 W. C. Cox vs. John Hageman.

27 D. P. Moore vs. C. H. Rippey.

28 Mexico Savings Bank vs. W. L. Reynolds et al.

29 Sturgeon Savings Bank vs. W. H. Angell et al.

30 George Walker vs. Bank of Ladonia.

31 W. H. Doss vs. W. U. Telegraph Co.

32 Evans, Snyder & Buell vs. H. C. Hord et al.

Fifth Day, Friday, June 7.

33 J. B. Sampson et al. vs. P. J. Mitchell et al.

34 Jas. Clacher vs. R. C. Sturtevant.

35 Wm. Edmonston vs. J. W. Roberts.

36 Elizabeth Caldwell vs. J. E. Rupert.

37 Laura Brenton vs. Chas. Wakefield.

38 A. P. Ellis vs. Walter Bonnell.

39 Jacob Miller vs. S. G. Elliott & F. M. Walker.

Sixth Day, Saturday, June 8.

40 G. D. Ferris vs. P. F. Hord, assignee.

41 Esterly Harvesting Machine Co. vs. John Criswell.

42 R. C. Sturdevant vs. J. W. Robinson.

43 P. Gallier vs. Louis Seivers.

44 C. B. Rouns vs. R. L. Holloway.

45 Wm. Plov Co. vs. W. F. Doty et al.

Seventh Day, Monday, June 10.

46 Mary Foster vs. C. J. Selhorst et al.

47 L. A. Smith vs. M. L. Raftery et al.

48 W. B. McIntire et al. vs. Josie A. Hickman et al.

49 J. C. Daniel vs. J. D. Atkins.

50 M. F. Engleton vs. George Kahrich et al.

51 Consolidated Coal Co. vs. Mexico First Brick Co.

52 W. E. Cornett, assignee B. & C. Galbreath.

Eighth Day, Tuesday, June 11.

53 Parlin, Orendorf & Co. vs. P. F. Wolf.

54 Oil Well Supply Co. vs. A. W. Wolf.

55 W. B. Dolyns vs. Bay State Ben. Co.

56 J. W. Ritenour vs. L. C. Cheatham et al.

57 W. P. Quisenberry vs. City of Mexico.

58 Joseph Schiltz Brewing Co. vs. H. A. Forney.

59 M. Y. Hubbard vs. Henry Hubbard.

60 W. J. Rixey vs. W. J. Sutherland et al.

Ninth Day, Wednesday, June 12.

61 Susan M. Enslin vs. James Enslin.

62 P. B. Vaughn vs. Geo. Roupie.

63 Ida F. Conklin vs. Geo. H. Conklin.

64 J. H. Carter et al. vs. Ora Carter et al.

65 Chas. Wade vs. B. Ringo, G. W. Adams, receiver, resp. First National Bank of Mexico, intervening petitioner, app.

66 Sarah A. Yeager vs. W. Dye.

Tenth Day, Thursday, June 13.

67 S. C. Palmer vs. Wabash R. R. Co.

68 M. B. Berger vs. John Bick.

69 Ida May Sturdivant vs. Wm. Dugan.

70 Heldenman, Heldenman & Co. vs. A. Kempinsky & Son.

71 J. H. Hocking, administrator vs. Sturgeon Bros. et al.

72 J. S. Touss vs. I. Walter Bayne.

73 W. H. Hume vs. Merchants Ins. Co.

Eleventh Day, Friday, June 14.

74 L. Larimore vs. C. A. R. R. Co.

75 Josephine Lanning vs. M. R. Gooch.

76 Henrietta Shire vs. John Robinson et al.

77 Ellen Bullard vs. John Britt.

78 Wm. A. Banks vs. W. A. Martin et al.

81 W. R. Maxwell vs. unknown heirs of A. Howe and J. S. Hill.

Twelfth Day, Saturday, June 15.

82 G. L. Powell vs. Jolpha Powell.

83 Solomon Brooks vs. Mary Brooks.

84 Lavina Baskett vs. Henry Baskett et al.

85 Mattie S. Collins vs. S. B. Collins.

86 F. M. West et al. vs. Wm. E. West et al.

87 J. M. Riley et al. vs. C. C. Sherwood et al.

Thirteenth Day, Monday, June 16.

88 A. F. Brown vs. Elliott & McNama.

89 Lukeman & Barnes vs. R. McNama et al.

90 John T. Young vs. Elliott & McNama.

91 W. U. Col vs. Elliott & McNama.

92 W. H. Logan vs. R. McNama.

93 A. F. Brown vs. R. McNama.